

She receives two mails each day from Jacksonville, including that from Southern Florida as well as from the North and East—and sends out two mails each day to Jacksonville and those sections. She has ample mail facilities from the West and the Gulf ports, and the public business is never retarded for want of such facilities.

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Tallahassee has railroad communications connecting with all other roads of the State, and her business men look confidently to two, and possibly three other roads, in the next eighteen months.

As a citizen of Leon county, my life has been spent in and around Tallahassee, and my affections go out warmly to her people—but I have been honored too often by the good citizens of Florida to allow my judgment to be biased to an extent of giving opinions or advice that I did not believe for the welfare of the entire State. I defer to no one in my intimate acquaintance with the Capitol building, and in advising a vote for Tallahassee at the present time, I feel that I am serving the best interests of the people of Florida.

There is one other question relating to Constitutional changes that, while writing, I feel it will not be inappropriate to give to you the conclusions of my best judgment.

The effort that is being made to place upon the people of the State the indefensible and unnecessary expenditure of seventy-five or a hundred thousand dollars for a Constitutional Convention should also be voted down. In that connection I would commend to your careful attention a letter from Hon. A. E. Maxwell, of Pensacola, which has recently appeared in the public press. Judge Maxwell was a member of Congress for several terms, and for many years a distinguished member of our Supreme Court. In intellectual qualifications, ripe judgment, and all the elements of noble citizenship, he deservedly stands among the very first men of our State.

My own views are so well expressed in this letter that I will simply quote you an extract as containing suggestions worthy of favorable consideration.

"The provision in our present Constitution," says Judge Maxwell, "for amending it, is a safe and ample one, guarding against uncalculated action and precipitate changes (notably shown in the removal proceedings of the last Legislature), yet vesting the Legislature with sufficient power to make needed amendments, to be approved by a majority vote of the people. This method renders a Constitutional Convention an unnecessary resort, as every change the people want can be had, if the legislators duly perform their duty. The very fact that, not content with this, two schemes are put forth to do what either can do without the other, and that the greatly enlarged expense involved, necessitating further heavy taxation,

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seems utterly disregarded by the promoters, condemns both, as originating in a spirit thoughtless of the interests of the tax-payers of the State. I hope enough voters will be forthcoming at the primaries, to show their disapproval, and prevent unnecessary taxation for unnecessary purposes."

Had not my silence been so improperly construed, as shown from your letter to Mr. Myers, I should not have written this reply, but under the circumstances it would have been a gross injustice to me as well as to the vast interests involved to be placed in such an attitude and remain longer silent.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) W. D. BLOXHAM,

Dr. W. H. Lewis, Lawrenceville, Va., writes: "I am using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my practice among severe cases of indigestion and find it an admirable remedy." Many hundreds of physicians depend upon the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in stomach troubles. It digests what you eat, and allows you to eat all the good food you need, providing you do not overload your stomach. Gives instant relief and a permanent cure. All Dealers.

Baby Asleep.

Esther, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dickinson, was born May 19th, 1898, and died September 4th, 1900. She was sick only a short while. Three days before she died she suffered intensely; but, Oh, what a patient little sufferer, never murmuring, only at times when the pain was so severe. She would say, "Oh! Lawdy, have mercy on me," and so soon he did. Like a little flower, our baby was transplanted out of this world of sorrow into the beautiful beyond. All that loving hands could do, was done for my darling. For it was a pleasure for each one to do something for her. She was our little pet. How much we miss that sweet little voice, none can tell. For one of her age she was a remarkable child, nothing was too hard for her to learn. Any song she heard sung, she could memorize words and also the tune, and things she heard the children say she would tell them "I can say dat too." Her favorite religious songs were, "At the Cross," and "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms," and she sung many others. It was her delight to come to her grandmother's and have me rock and sing to her the songs she loved so well. Everytime, she would say, little auntie, sing "Eaning on de edder asting arms." While I do not wish her back, it seems as though I would rejoice to hear those sweet little lips speak those words again. She is singing this morning with the angels in Paradise. Sleep on sweet baby until the resurrection morn, then we hope to meet you.

See how sweet our baby looks as she lies. With fringed lids closing her dark blue eyes. One tiny palm pressed close to her side. And her dear little lips parted since she died. Dear little feet that are now so still. You will never walk in the paths of ill. Those pale little lips are also still. So much against her loved ones will. Keep, O Father, that baby brow. Until she inherits her beautiful crown. Lead her by Thy Guiding hand. Safely into the better land.

E. V. F.
Crawfordville, Oct. 10, 1900.

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Grand R. A. Convocation.

Editor Tallahasseean.—St. Peter's Holy Grand Royal Arch Chapter, Jurisdiction of Florida, has closed its first Grand Annual Convocation, which was held in the city of Tallahassee October 9-11, 1900, Companion E. L. J. Banks, G. H. P., presiding. The session was one of intense interest and great profit, and companions returned home highly impressed with the hospitality of our people. Sixteen Chapters were represented, showing marvelous growth in Capitalistic Masonry, since ten months ago. Fraternal greetings came from several foreign Grand Jurisdictions giving approval and encouragement to the well begun work. Railroads were liberal with rates, and newspapers kept in touch to get the publishable part of the proceedings. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Grand H. P., E. L. J. Banks, Jacksonville; Deputy G. H. P., W. G. B. Kinlaw, Apalachicola; Grand King, O. J. Coleman, Madison; Grand Scribe, J. T. Davis, Greenville; Grand Treasurer, R. B. Griggs, Tallahassee; Grand Secretary, J. G. Riley, Tallahassee.

MISS RUBY POWELL,

A Bright Little Tallahassee Girl Wins a Prize.

We notice that Miss Ruby Powell, the bright little granddaughter of Judge J. T. Bernard, of this city, is the August prize winner for the best short story, written for the Detroit Free Press. The Free Press says:

"The happy appreciation of our short story contest is clearly proven by the large number of well-written stories entered every month by enthusiastic competitors. The successful contestant, whose clever story entitled 'The E. G. G. Club' is awarded the August prize book, is Ruby Powell, age 14, of Tallahassee, Fla.

Although at present living with her parents in Jacksonville, Miss Ruby, we see, still considers herself a Tallahassee girl. Her success in the above contest will be learned with pleasure by all her Tallahassee friends.

A new remedy for biliousness is now on sale at Wight & Bro.'s drug store. It is called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. It gives quick relief and will prevent the attack if given as soon as the first indication of the disease appears. Price, 25 cents per box. Samples free.

A New Corporation.

Letters patent have been issued for the incorporation of the United Commercial Company of Tampa. This new corporation has a capital of \$25,000, and will conduct a hotel and restaurant business, wholesale and retail liquor and cigar business and a general importing and exporting business. The incorporators are Jose Fernandez, Raymond Piquero and Antonio Ben y Boo.

ECZEMA, ITCHING HUMORS, PIMPLES CURED BY B. B. B.

Bottle Free to Sufferers.

Does your Skin Itch and Burn? Dis-tressing Eruptions on the Skin so you feel ashamed to be seen in company? Do scabs and scales form on the skin. Hair or Scalp? Have you Eczema? Skin Sore and Cracked? Rash form on the Skin? Prickling Pain in the Skin? Boils? Pimples? Bone Pain? Swollen Joints? Falling Hair? All Run Down? Skin Pale? Old Sores? Eating Sores? Ulcers? All these are symptoms of Eczema and Impurities and Poisons in the Blood. To cure take B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) which makes the blood pure and rich. B. B. B. will cause the sores to heal, itching of eczema to stop forever, the skin to become clear and the breath sweet. B. B. B. is just the remedy you have been looking for. Thoroughly tested for 30 years. Give it a trial. For sale by druggists at \$1 per large bottle; six large bottles (full treatment) \$5. Complete directions with each bottle. So sufferers may test it, a trial bottle given away. Write for it. Address Blood Balm Co., 524 Mitchell St., Atlanta, Ga. Describe your trouble and free personal medical advice given.

A Triangular Race.

It is conceded by all far-seeing individuals that the race for Capital honors is now a triangle one. Jacksonville is practically out of it, and the real contestants are St. Augustine, Ocala and Tallahassee. Some doubt is expressed as to whether Jacksonville will even carry Duval county.—Pensacola Press.

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Capital Removal.

Editor News—I am pleased to see the News take such a fine stand against the Capital removal question. Cannot the "plain people," the taxpayers, see the purely selfish motive that is behind all this ill-timed agitation? Some would-be leaders are never satisfied unless they can stir up strife and contention, just so the people pay the bills.

This calling the present Capitol an "old rookery," and saying it is unsafe, is the veriest nonsense. Its very appearance denotes a massive strength not to be found in any other public building in the State. It was built when contractors were honest and labor more reliable. Its massive walls and immense porticos are as enduring as the hill on which it rests.

We sincerely trust that a majority of the tax-payers will unite and retain the Capitol where it is—a Capitol so appropriately named, so intimately associated with endearing recollections of a heroic past—upon the beautiful and everlasting hills of old Leon.—H. S. Williams, in the Cocoa Rockledge News, October 11, 1900.

A TEXAS WONDER.

Hall's Great Discovery.

One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggists, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials.

Sold by Wight & Bro., Tallahassee, Fla.

Mobile, Ala., Feb. 16, 1899.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: During the past year we have sold over twenty-four dozen 'Hall's Great Discovery' for kidney and bladder troubles, and during that time have received no complaint.

Yours respectfully,
G. VAN ANTWERP & SON.

Great Change of Sentiment.

The Washington Post after a column of estimates on the electoral college, comes to the conclusion that after all, the elections hinges on New York. Either candidate may be elected without New York, but the chances are overwhelmingly in favor of the candidate who secures that State's electoral vote. The Post marvels that a State, which four years ago, gave such an overwhelmingly McKinley majority should now be considered close, and says:

"When it is realized, however, that both Kentucky and Maryland, may go Democratic, it will be seen that even the addition of Wyoming, which is likely to go Republican, would not save McKinley. The situation, therefore, resolves itself, in our opinion, into the question of how New York will cast its electoral vote. Figure as you may, arrange the States in any manner that may seem most probable, the chances still remain that the candidate who receives the electoral vote of New York will be successful. And this one fact, in itself, constitutes the most unique feature of the campaign. When it is, for a moment, admitted that the result of the election hinges upon New York, a State which gave a majority of 268,000 for McKinley four years ago, a remarkable change in public sentiment is recognized. It is the fact, that this reversal has occurred in some degree, at least, and that political land-slides are not unknown in New York, which gives uncertainty to the outcome, anxiety to the Republican leaders, and hope to the followers of Bryan.—Tampa Morning Tribune.

Rheumatism.

M. F. Ballantyne, of Ballantyne & McDonough's Iron Foundry, Savannah, Ga., says that he has suffered for years from Rheumatism, and could get no relief from any source but P. P. P., which cured him entirely. He extols the properties of P. P. P. on every occasion.

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A Sheer Waste of the People's Money.

The question of a Constitutional Convention should by all means be voted down in the Democratic primary on November 6th. We see no need of spending \$100,000 for this purpose. Our present Constitution is only fifteen years old, and if it needs additional amending the next Legislature can do that. A new Constitutional Convention would be a sheer waste of the people's money.—Palatka East Floridian.

Good News for Our Readers

Who have scrofula taints in their blood, and who has not? Scrofula in all its forms is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla which thoroughly purifies the blood. This disease, which frequently appears in children, is greatly to be dreaded. It is most likely to affect the glands of neck, which become enlarged, eruptions appear on the head and face and the eyes are frequently affected. Upon its first appearance, perhaps in slight eruptions or pimples, scrofula should be entirely eradicated from the system by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla to prevent all the painful and sickening consequences of running scrofula loose which drain the system, sap the strength and make existence utterly wretched.

After He Comes

he has a hard enough time. Everything that the expected mother can do to help her child she should do. One of the greatest blessings she can give him is health, but to do this, she must have health herself. She should use every means to improve her physical condition. She should, by all means, supply herself with

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It will take her through the crisis easily and quickly. It is a liniment which gives strength and vigor to the muscles. Common sense will show you that the stronger the muscles are, which bear the strain, the less pain there will be.

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Opinions Differ.

A vote for Ocala is a vote for Tallahassee.—Jacksonville Metropolis.

A vote for Jacksonville is a vote for Tallahassee.—Ocala Banner.

A vote for Jacksonville or a vote for Ocala is simply a vote thrown away, nothing more. Five-eighths of all the votes cast in the State will read "For Tallahassee."—Exchange.

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When you have rheumatism. Make stiff and sore and joints are painful. It does not pay to suffer long from disease when it may be cured so promptly and perfectly by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine goes right to the source, neutralizes the acidity of the blood which causes rheumatism, and puts it to rest.

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